

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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PROJECT TITLE: South Beach Lot Fencing (11/12-SD-05)

LOCATION: Torrey Pines State Beach - 631 COUNTY: San Diego

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:

This project entails constructing "peeler pole" fencing around much of the South Beach parking lot of Torrey Pines State Beach.

The intent of the project is to provide for additional public safety by keeping the public from crossing roads at inappropriate locations and to protect natural and cultural resources by restricting the places that the public can move from the parking lot onto the park road. The fencing type will match the existing fencing at the West Lot. Installing the fencing will require digging post holes on 8' centers and using cement to retain the poles. This project will be completed in multiple phases as volunteers and funds come available. The project leads will remain the same to maintain consistent materials and construction methods.

DPR-approved standard project requirements have been incorporated into this project. A copy of these requirements may be obtained by submitting a request to the project Environmental Coordinator listed below **PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT:** California Department of Parks and Recreation

NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: San Diego Coast

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| Declared Emergency (Section 15269(a)) |
| Emergency Project (Section 15269(b) and (c) |
| Statutory Exemption (Section) |
| ☐ Categorical Exemption |
| Class: 3 and 4 Section(s): 15303 15304 |

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:

No potential for significant impacts to the environment is anticipated in compliance with Section 15300.2.

A resource ecologist will ensure avoidance of significant impacts to natural resources.

An archaeologist will ensure avoidance of significant impacts to cultural resources.

Project consists of construction and location of limited numbers of new, small structures included as "fencing and gates" in the Department of Parks and Recreation's list of exempt activities, in accordance with CCR § 15300.4; (Class 3)

Project consists of minor public alterations in the condition of land, water, and/or vegetation which do not involve the removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees (Class 4)

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